

MEMORANDUM

To: Gaston County Library
From: Lynda Reynolds, Acting Director of Library Development
Date: November 14, 2022
Re: 2022 - 2023 Aid to Public Libraries Fund - Estimated Total Payment

This memorandum is to inform you that Gaston County Library will receive **\$248,588** from the Aid to Public Libraries Fund for FY2022-23. The total authorized allocation for distribution is **\$15,182,131** for public libraries qualifying to receive State Aid. If there is a change in the allocation, you will receive a notification of the change.

State Aid payments are distributed monthly and should be received no later than the fifteenth of each month. The following chart shows the payments already distributed from July 2022 through November 2022 and the adjusted payments to be distributed from December 2022 through June 2023. **July through November 2023, you will see a reduction in your State Aid as the \$1 million that is being distributed December 2022 through June 2023 will no longer be available.**

Library Name: Gaston County Library

July 2022 Payment	Aug 2022 Payment	Sept 2022 Payment	Oct 2022 Payment	Nov 2022 Payment	Dec 2022 Payment
\$19,372	\$19,372	\$19,372	\$19,372	\$19,372	\$21,675

Jan 2023 Payment	Feb 2023 Payment	Mar 2023 Payment	Apr 2023 Payment	May 2023 Payment	June 2023 Payment
\$21,675	\$21,675	\$21,675	\$21,675	\$21,675	\$21,678

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The fund herein provided shall be administered by the Department of Natural and Cultural Resources, which shall frame bylaws, rules and regulations for the allocation and administration of such funds. The funds shall be used to improve, stimulate, increase and equalize public library service to the people of the whole State, shall be used for no other purpose, except as herein provided, and shall be allocated among the legally established municipal, county or regional libraries in the State taking into consideration local needs, area and population to be served, local interest and such other factors as may affect the State program of public library. ([NCGS, Chapter 125-7\(c\)](#))

Block and per capita equalization grants may be used for library materials, salaries, equipment, and operating costs. ([Administrative Code, Title 7, Chapter 2, Subchapter 2I, Section .0202](#))

Please contact me at lynda.reynolds@ncdcr.gov if you have any questions and/or would like to go over your individual State Aid calculations.

Please provide a copy of this memo to your Finance Officer and Auditor.